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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANTS: Reinhold MAIER et al. CONF. NO.: 3769  
SERIAL NO.: 10/563,753 GROUP: 2832  
FILED: January 9, 2006 EXAMINER: Ramon Barrera  
FOR: ELECTROMAGNETIC SWITCHING DEVICE  
DOCKET NO.: 32860-000981/US

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
**Mail Stop Amendment**

October 10, 2008

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement dated September 11, 2008, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

**Listing of Claims** begins on page 2 of this Response.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this Response.

	<b>Claims remaining after Amendment</b>		<b>Highest number previously paid for</b>		<b>Present extra</b>
<b>Total</b>	19	-	20	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	1	-	3	=	0